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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 12, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages. The period for response is extended to January 12, 2007, based on a Petition For Extension of Time filed herewith.

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